#### **WE CAN ISSUE BONDS**

The Senate Authorizes the Grand River Improvement

FIGHT OVER A TELEPHONE GIRL

Acced Upon Favorably.

annum, Mich, May 4.—The Detroit spital bill person the senate this rains. The bill authorizing the us by Grand Enpids of \$300,000 worth boards at a vate and answering 5 per cent, for the improvement of Grand river, also passed. In view of recent statements in the Detroit council, it is perhaps a matter of interest to note that the bonds shall not run for a longer period then twenty years. The bill slee

Further bills passed in the senate were relative to the incorporation of charitable and benevolent institutions and the charter of Marshall. A delega-

tion of upper peninsula men was present to combat a sentiment against the ball or an asylum in that section.

There is a pretty, lady likegiri who attends to the public telephone in the house, and it looked for a time as though there would be a row in the house when Ewing introduced a readu-tion to secure her the privilege she has heretofore enjoyed, of going within the har of the house to call members to the

House Bills Passed.

It was stated that Sergeant at Arms Stoner had yesterday notified her that she would be excluded in the future. oner insisted that he was acting under orders from the speaker in which express reference was made to her case, and leftinlay hit at the speaker over Stoner's held when he protested against the "mecklesome attitude of house officials."

The resolution was adopted. A favorable report was made in the use on Mr. Sumner's second reappor-

An attempt is to be made to amend the Wayne county judicial bill so as to proving for two judges instead of one.

Passed by the house today: Making the one-sixth mill tax available for the university in 16; authorizing Crystal Falls to lease or purchase water power to run water works or an electric light plant; relative to the election of school officers in Bangor, Bay county.

#### ACT OF A PIEND.

#### Little Millie Narkwech Was the Vic-

DETROIT, Mich., May 4.-The mystery surrounding the death of little Millie Narkwech, 10 years old, whose body was found yesterday morning in a vacant house at No. 100 Welch avenue, has been cleared up, and the result is even more horrible than the first discovery. Dr. Kelly's post-mortem examination shows that the unfortunate child had been outraged, and that she died of strangulation while wedged in the hole where she was found. The post-mortem showed that she had made a desperate struggle in defense of her honor and had been terribly injured before the fiend accom-

There is no clew thus far to the identity of the human brute who committed the crime, but Coroner Beatcher has the matter in hand and will make an effort to find him.

## FEEL LIKE STRIKING.

Hello Girls at Detroit Have Their Little Grievance.

DETROIT, Mich., May 4.—The "hello" girls at the telephone headquarters on Greswold street and at the Woodward avenue sub-station are considerably agitated over what they consider wellnunded grievances, and some of them hint that, unless the company takes cognizance of their woes and makes the proper concessions, they will "ring off and walk into the street in a body with out a coment's warning. The girls think their hours of labor are too long. They are obliged to work nine and onehalf hours per day and every third Sunday. Then the wages, they consider, are too small. Salaries run from \$15 to \$20 per month, and it is asserted that if a girl is absent a day through the week company takes advantage of the fact to "lock" her for two days, includlog Sunday.

#### VERY LIKE POISONING.

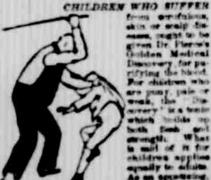
#### An Ionia Family Has a Narrow Escape From Death.

Iosta, Mich., May 4.—Last evening after supper Mrs. Brooks was suddenly seized with cramps and vemiting spells; her daughter, Mrs. Fanning, and her granddaughter. Marion Fanning, were also attacked in the same way. A physician was called and for two hours it bround as if the result would be serious. The symptoms were very much like poisoning, but where the poison came from carnot be learned. Mrs. Chency got a baif pound of pressed beef from William Long's mest market for supper, and this may have been the name, but it hardly seems possible, as Mr. Long ate some of the beef with no bad results. Today the three patients at Mrs. Cheney's are unable to leave their beds, but are out of danger.

#### MILDRED DISAPPEARA

#### A Washtenaw County Girl Has Gone, Leaving No Trace.

Younger, Mich., May 4. Mildred, daughter of Hiram Murray, a prominent farmer of Salem township, drave to this city last Saturday, made a purchase or two, and disappeared as completely



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as if the earth had swallowed her. Sun-day morning, shortly after midnight, Officer Eaton found a horse and carriage standing in the street and took care of it. It was not cinimed until Monday, when Murray came here to discover why his daughter failed to return home. Be-lieving he could best conduct the search for his daughter without publicity, the father requested the suppression of the news until last night, when he gave up. As near as can be learned the girl, who is 20 yearsold, suddenly took a notion to go to Ann Artor by the motor line, for the conductor remembers her as a passen-ger Saturday afternoon. At Ann Arbor all trace is lost. Miss Murray disap-peared once before at Wayne Junction, where she was to change care coming, from Plymouth to this place, and was gone sixteen days, returning just as de-tectives were starting out to trace her up. The time had been spent with friends in Flint. When she left this time she had only a small amount of money with her. se if the earth had swallowed her. Sun

#### AROUND THE SHAFT.

#### Muskegon Man Meets With an Awful Accident.

Museroos, Mich., May 4.—William Waters, employed at Bredin's stair building shop on Eastern avenue, met with a frightful accident at 2:50 o'clock this afternoon. Waters was working down stairs and went to put on an eight-inch belt without stopping or slacking up the machinery. In some way he got caught in the shaft and was whirlest around it until his clothes were torn off, and then he was hurled to the floor. All of his clothes except his stockings, were torn ciothes except his stockings were torn from his body, even including his

He was picked up unconscious and bleeding from a terrible cut on the heatl. Surgeons are unable to say whether he will recover.

#### Work of a Cigarette.

PORT HUNON, Mich., May 4.—The deadly cigarette got in its work here last night in the house of Mrs. William Highon. Charles Whitford, who boards with the family, was eleaning his clothes with gasoline, filling the room with gas-John Hilton picked up a match to light his cigarette, but Whitford warned him of the danger of an explosion. The boy paid no attention to the warning. He struck the match, which instantly ignited a cloth in Whitford's hands, and being dropped to the floor, caught on Mrs. Hilton's dress. Whitford smoth-ered the flames with quilts. Whitford sustained severe burns on his arms and Mrs. Hilton was badly burned about the

From Jail to Death.

Bio Rarios, Mich., May 4.—Richard Dearing, who escaped from jail yesterday, was drowned while attempting to cross the Muskegon river. Officers found the place where he left the west shore on a log, half a mile below the city, but there was no trace of his landings the other side. The children of ing on the other side. The children of a farmer three miles below saw a man answering the description floating down

#### Gill May Escape Trial.

Jackson, Mich., May 4.—There is a possibility that the trial of M. P. Gill, the captain of the night guard at the prison the night Latimer made his escape, may not take place at all. It has not been put on the call for next week, as has been announced, and the general opinion is that it will be dropped.

#### Hert Moloney a Hero.

JACKSON, Mich., May 4.-Bert Molonev plunged into Grand river last night save the life of the 10-year-old son of Henry Campbell, who had fallen into the stream and was carried under the bridge. Moloney has been in trouble many times here, but he has proved a hero notwithstanding his faults.

#### Michigan Railroads.

Lansino, Mich., May 4.—The earnings of Michigan railroads for February, 1833, were \$7,920,100,90, an increase of \$151,-464.05 over the same month of 1802. The total earnings for January and February of this year show an increase of 5.61 per cent over the same two months of

#### Lake Shore Indebtedness.

CLEVELAND, May 4.—The directors of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad have determined upon a scheme for refunding the funded debt of the company at a lower rate per cent. The funded debt amounts to about \$48,000,-(60) and is now carried at 7 per cent. A rate of 35, or 4 will be substituted.

Berrier Springs, Mich., May 4.— George Taylor, alias Hultz, was con-victed of murder in the first degree last night. The trial had lasted several days and the evidence was conclusive against Taylor. The murderer was sentenced to state prison for life.

#### Will Re-Incorporate.

Sacryaw, Mich., May. 4.—The executive board of the United Friends of Michigan took action this morning toward re-incorporation. The association has lifty nine commanderies, with 5,000 members, and is increasing at the rate of 30 a month.

Wealthy Farmer Declared Insanc. BATTLE CREEK, Mich., May 4 .- John D. Haviland of Branch county, the great philanthropist and wealthiest farmer of southern Michigan has been adjudged incompetent to do busines, and a guardian has been appointed.

#### CHARGED WITH PRAUD

#### An Alleged Wild Cat Mining Fake Is Shown Up.

CHICAGO, May 4.-Erastus N. Fay. secretary of the Consciidated Gold and Silver Mining company, was taken to St. Louis tonight on a requisition charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. It is claimed that Fay and his alleged companion in crime. William Whalen, has swindled the public out of over \$000.000. The Consoli-dated Gold and Silver Mining company of Chicago was incorporated in 1864, with a capital stock of \$30.000,000. The president was William Whalen, while Brastus N. Fay acted as secretary and treasurer. A large number of shares of the \$30,000,000 issues were said at \$25 and \$40 areaching in value probably \$100,000. The company claimed to comtrai nine gold and solver mines and sier bu copper mines at Eureka Cumulo. It is alleged that the Coberada innices were worthless, having been saited by Whalen. Mr. Nichtins of St. Lemis who had invested \$17,000, went out to see the mines with an expert, and it is said their inspection pronounced the ore worthless. William Whalen, the president of the company, was accepted in St Louis last January on a charge of swinding, and he was indicted by the grand pary there and heat for trial un der \$10,000 beinds. It is clutmed that the men paid some dividence out of the money taken in, but enriched their serves by pocketing the major portion of it. Fuy denies that he is guilty of any

## ARE AFTER A SCALP

Von Caprivi Assailed in Very Vigorous Language.

FAMINE AND COUNTRY TWO

Withelm Holds a Midnight Conference and Strongly Urges the l'assage

Bestan, May 4 .- The discussion of the army bill was continued in the reich-stag today. Herr Richter, leader of the Deutsche Freissing party, declared that the party would not accept the compromise agreed upon by Freiherr Von Huene. He vigorously assailed Chancellor Caprivi for attempting, as Herr Richter described it, to tyrannize over the reichstag. He protested in ve-hement language against what he char-acterized as the slighting remarks uttered by Chancellor Caprivi regarding the laborious studies which the com-mittee on the army bill had devoted to the question. Facing those who dissented from his utterances, Herr Rich ter exclaimed: "What is the use of patriotism to a man with nothing to

army bill was adjourned, after which numerous party caucusses were held. Chancellor Von Caprivi counts on 100 votes from the center and seceders from the Freissinig party to secure a majority for the bill. The fact that the emperor visited Chancellor Von Caprivi after midnight last night is commented upon as showing the former's deep interest in the measure. Count Alfred Von Hompeach has succeeded Count Von Preyspeach has succeeded Count Von Preysing Lichtenegg Moss as leader of the clericals, the latter feeling unequal to the task of guiding his party through the present crisis. The emperor has given up his plan to attend the dinner given by Dr. Bosse tonight or the chancellor's dinner, to avoid the appearance of bringing pressure to bear on the deputies, which would be seized upon by the radicals and used against the bill.

#### CONTRADICTORY EVIDENCE.

The English Testimony Regarding Seals Riddled by Mr. Coudert.

Parts. May 4 .- In the Bering sea case today Mr. Coudert proceeded to prove that there could be no commingling of the seal herds of Alaska with those of Asiatic Russia. Furriers easily dis-tinguished the Alaskan from the Russian skins and charged higher prices for the Alaskan. Mr. Coudert read allidavits in support of these assertions. He enlarged upon the natural history of the seal, replying with admirable readiness to a series of questions addressed to him by the members of the tribunal of arbitration. In a response to a question by Baron de Courcel, Mr. Coudert said that copper island seals caught by the pelagic sealers came to the market as having been caught at Japan. The British counsel exclaimed in chorus, That is quite wrong." Mr. Coudert answered: We have ample proof that it is true. We have proof also that three fourths of the total number of skins sold are those of females." Mr. Coudert read evidence in support of his statement, recurring to crew. the question of the territorial limits within which the seals were caught. Mr. Condert contrasted the statements of a British scaling captain to the effect that the animals were never found ten miles from land with the evidence of another British witness to the effect that he had found seals at distances of between ten and fifteen miles from the

#### MOBBLD BY CHINESE

Bicyclist Lenz Has a Narrow Escape From Death in China.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4 .- Advices from Ichang, China, give details of a narrow of the American bicyclist, F. G. Lenz, who is trying to ride his wheel across China and India, Lenz reached Ichang on March 23 in a demoralized condition, with his wheel and camera builty battered, was near Shashi that he struck a gang of laborers who raised the shout "Kill the foreign devil." Lenz was resting. a al before he could start they thrust his handles into the spokes of his wheel and beat the soldier who accompanied him as a guard. Lenz freechis wheel and rode for dear life, but was headed off and savagely attacked by a mob of farm laborers. One aimed a blow at Lenz's head with a heavy hoe which would have cloven his skull, but he dodged and received it on his neck and knapsack. It knocked him down, however, and then he was cruelly beaten and pelted with stones. He finally reached some better dressed Chinese who protected him for a moment. Though in deadly peril Lenz began to amuse the crowd with tricks on his wheel and soon had won them over so they allowed him to proceed unmolested. But for his nerve and coolness he would have been killed, as the superstitious Chinese really took him for a devil as he flew along on his wheel. At Ichang the blacksmith on the British gunboat Esk repaired his bicycle.

#### MEXICO RAVAGED BY FAMINE And the Authorities Suppress the Fact of Typhus.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 4 .- A. L. Carpenter of this city, who has just returned from an extended trip through Mexico, reports a terrible condition of affairs in that country from the typhus and famine. Mr. Carpenter says that the gov-ernment is recibly concealing the facts and that a soldier is on guard at every telegraph office to see that no information is sent out. In the city of Mexico, where Mr Carpenter was last week, he says the death rate was then over 300 a day and that the dead were being buried in great trenches. At Zacatecas all scork in the mines has been stopped and the typhus is numbering its victims by hundreds each day. At Guanajuntz the same terrible condition of affairs preation no crop has been raised in the grain producing section in the northern part of the country for three years, and or peons are on the corgs of starration President Diaz himself is ill with typhus n the castle of Chapultepec, and is in a very sectors condition.

#### TROOPS PROTECT PROPERTY.

They Will Stay at Hull as Long as Trouble Reigns.

Lownon, May 4. In the house of commons today Home Secretary As quith said in answer to Kier Stardie claber, that the government would not withdraw from Hull the troops empaged in protecting the property of the ship owners from striking union dockers a iong so the authorities of Hall desped their presence necessary. In the correct the debute Mr. tiladetone soil he agreed with the inbur mombers that it ;



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was unwise and impolitic to parade troops before the strikers, but the friends of labor oughi to take assurance that the government had not designed to support the shipping federation.

#### JOY IN SPAIN.

Political and Financial Circles Believe Cuba Troubles Are Ended.

Madein, May 4.—The news received ere from Havana yesterday that the chief Cuba rebels had surrendered, has been received with expressions of profound relief in political and financial circles. Spanish funds have rallied 1 per cent today and Cuban stocks 4 per cent. Official dispatches continued to represent the separatist movement as completely checked. The press censures the conduct of the United States authorities in allowing Cuban exiles to make a demonstration from Florida.

Coolidge Presents His Recall. Paris, May 4.-The Hon. T. A. Coolidge, the retiring American minister, presented his letters of recall to the French government today. The Hon. James B. Eustis, the newly appointed American ambassador, will present his credentials on Saturday, accompanying them with a speech that will be some-thing more than the formal address cus-

#### Devastating Albanians.

tomary on such occasions.

VIENNA, May 4.—The Albanians are burning Servian and Greek villages in Macedonia. Atrocities inflicted upon the Christians have been especially monstrous in the Monastic district. The foreign consuls have protested jointly to the sublime porte. They hold Fajid Pasha responsible for the outrages.

ADEN, May 4-Later reports state that no lives were lost through the burning of the steamship Khiva. Finding that it would be impossible to quench the fire, the captain steered for the nearest point on the Arabian coast and then landed all the passengers and

Paints, May 4.—The chamber of depu ties today passed a bill providing for the abolition of the Octroi and empowering the municipal authorities to make good the consequent loss to the city treasury by levying other taxes.

Victory for Parisians.

#### Monetary Conference Gossip. BRUSSELS, May 4.—The Independence Belge hears that the United States yes-

terday sent out instructions to the dele gates to the monetary conference, requesting them to reassemble in Brussels on May 30. More Cholera in France. PARIS, May 4. The cholera which ap-

peared some time ago in the workhouse in Quimpere has now spread through the town. Ten deaths from the epidemic have been reported in the last American Forgers Pardoned,

#### CITY OF MEXICO, VIA GALVESTON, May

4.-Mrs. Knox, who, together with her husband, Robert Knox, the Americans recently sentenced to imprisonment for forgery, have been pardoned by Presi

#### Guilty of Medical Heresy. LANSING, Mich., May 4. - The State Ho-

meopathic Medical society, at a meeting held here last night, charged Dean Obetz of the faculty of the state university with duplicity, disloyalty, conspiracy and libel and with being a man deserving of the severest condemnation. Dr. Obetz was tried by a committee and found guilty. He immediately tendered his resignation as a member of the association. Dean Obetz's offense consists in favoring the amalgamation of the homeopathic and regular colleges of medicine at the university.

Baileyville Wrecked by a Cyclone. St. Joseph, Mo., May 4.—A cyclone struck Baileyville, Kansas, sixty miles west of here, at a o'clock this afternoon wrecking the St. Joseph & Grand Island depot, Gregg Bros. elevator, the post-office building, the Oddfellows hall, the baptist church and other buildings. No que was hurt.

#### VAN NESS REINSTATED The Owner of Morello Gets Back on

the Turt. Cittoano, May 4.-As anticipated Frank Van Ness, part owner of M wells the Futurity winner, who was ruled off the furf several years ago, has been reinstated. This action was taken by the board of appeals of the American Trotting association, which again held an executive session at headquarters to-day. "Application granted on secount of new evidence prosented" is the offiend wording of the finding of the board. When Van Nem was expelled he was driving for Joe Emerick, and the allegation against him was that he entered a

horse under the assumed name of Lexington Chief, Jr., out of his class, at Kansas City, St. Louis and Dallas, Texas. In his testimony before the board the strongest point developed was his assertion that at the time of his being ruled off he was driving for Emerteing ruled off he was driving for Emerick; that the latter sent him the horse
in question for entry and that he carried out his instructions in entire ignorance of the fact upon which his expulsion was based. The truth of this statement was believed by the board. A
large number of less important decisions
were also announced.

Won by the Stick. BALTIMORE, May 4.—The Boston club made its first appearance here today and defeated the Orioles by timely batting and brilliant fielding. Attendance 942 The score:

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Chicago's Great Batting. CLEVELAND, May 4.-Five thousand persons froze in their seats this after-noon while the Chicago's wrapped Young's pitching right and left. The

Clevel'd. 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 10 4 Chiengo. 1 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 5 10 1 Batteries - Young and Zimmer; McGill and Kittredge. Umpire—Lynch.

#### LOUISVILLE, May 4.—The Louisvilles were defeated today through their inability to hit the ball. Weather fair. Attendance 2,500. The score:

Colonels Beaten Again

Louisve..0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 2 Pittsburg 0 1 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 6 9 1 Batteries—Hemming and Harrington; Kill len and Miller. Umpire—McQuaid.

WASHINGTON, May 4. - Crane's wildness and several bad errors contributed to the defeat of the New York team by the Washingtons today. Attendance 1,600.

Senators Beat the Giants.

Wash't'n, 2 4 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 8 10 5 New York 0 0 4 0 0 1 0 0 0 5 11 3 Batteries — Meekin and Farrell; Crane and

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RHEUMATISM.

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